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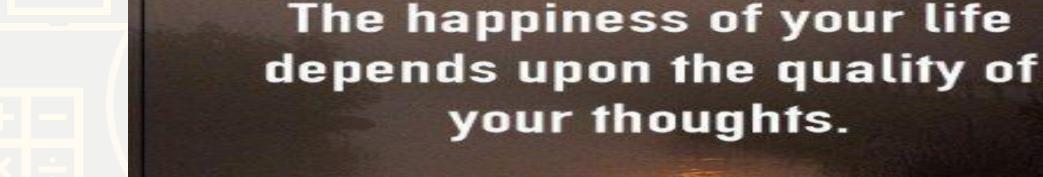
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## GRAMMAR SKILLS





#### **GRAMMAR SKILL - 1**

A sentence which is based on "Too ....
To" format, we cannot replace to with
so that. If we replace to with so that, too
also must be replaced with cannot.



(a) He is too weak so that he cannot walk.

(b) He is so weak that he cannot walk.





#### **GRAMMAR SKILL - 2**

Much too is followed by Unpleasant Adjective, whereas too much is followed by Noun.

Much too + Unpleasant Adjective.

Too much + Noun.





B. His wife's rude behavior gives him much too pain.









## India sends senior diplomats to Kabul for talks with Taliban

Taliban urge India to reopen its Embassy



Officials with children at a school renovated with Indian help in Kabul.PTI -

India has sent a multi-member team of senior diplomats to Afghanistan for the first time since the Indian Embassy in Kabul was evacuated in August 2021 following the arrival of the Taliban at the Afghan capital. During discussions with the Indian delegation held, the Taliban urged India to reopen its Embassy in Kabul, Suhail Shaheen, chief of the Taliban's political office told The Hindu.

The Indian team is being led by J.P. Singh, Joint Secretary, Pakistan-Afghanistan-Iran division of the Ministry of External Affairs (MEA). "Post 15th of August, 2021, in the light of the deteriorating security situation in Afghanistan, it was decided to bring back all India-based personnel. However, local staff-continued to function and ensure proper maintenance and upkeep of our premises there.



Our local staff• have also been helping in the delivery of humanitarian assistance," the MEA's official spokesperson Arindam Bagchi said.

Mr. Bagchi, however, said the visit did not amount to granting diplomatic recognition to the Taliban regime in Kabul. A delegation of Indian diplomats visited the Indira Gandhi Children's Hospital in Kabul, which has distributed India-made COVID-19 vaccines in the recent past. The MEA said that more foodgrains and medical shipments will be sent to Afghanistan in the coming months. It was also announced that India has sent one million doses of COVID-19 vaccines to Iran for distribution among Afghan refugees staying in Iran.



The team also visited the Habibia High School, which was renovated with assistance from the Government of India, and the Chimtala Electricity Sub-station, which was built by the Power Grid Corporation of India for electricity supply to Kabul. These initiatives were undertaken during the two decades of non-Taliban rule in Kabul that began in 2001 and ended with the flight of President Ashraf Ghani from Kabul last August. The Indian team included a woman official, which is being interpreted as a subtle reminder to the Taliban to ensure equitable treatment for women in Afghanistan





## THE HINDU VOCABULARY



**MAGNITUDE** 

(NOUN):

(अहमियत): importance

Synonyms: import, significance

**Antonyms: triviality** 



UNDERPIN (VERB): (बढ़ावा

देना): promote

Synonyms: nurture, encourage

**Antonyms: hinder** 



**EXPEDITIOUS** 

(ADJECTIVE):

(शीघ्र): speedy

Synonyms: swift, quick

**Antonyms: slow** 



MENACE (VERB): (खतरे में डालना):

threaten

Synonyms: jeopardize, imperil

**Antonyms: friendly** 



## LET'S CHECK YOUR PROGRESS



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A. Ornithology

**B.** Geology

C. Archaeology

**D.** Ethnology









- 2. General pardon
- A. Forgiveness
- **B.** Abolish
- C. Abandon
- **D.** Amnesty









A. Plagiarist

**B.** Vandal

C. Turncoat

**D.** Intestate









- 4. One who is unmarried
- A. Turnstile
- **B.** Spinster
- C. Spouse
- **D.** Polygamy



**B.** Spinster





5. A sentence whose meaning is not clear.

A. Illegible

**B.** Ambiguous

C. lucid

D. Improbable



**B.** Ambiguous

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- 6. The roof should not be replaced by you.
- A. You should not replace the roof.
- B. Please do not replace the roof.
- C. Do not replace the roof.
- D. You are advised no to replace the roof.



A. You should not replace the roof.



- 7. People are spending less money this year.
- A. That year less money was spent by people.
- B. Less money is being spent this year.
- C. Less money is spent by people this year
- D. This year, less money is being spent.



B. Less money is being spent this year.



- 8. The mechanic has already repaired the TV set.
- A. The TV set was already repaired by the mechanic.
- B. The TV set had already been repaired by the mechanic.
- C. The TV set has already been repaired by the mechanic.
- D. The TV set is already being rep mechanic.

C. The TV set has already been repaired by the mechanic.





- 9. Our window glass was broken last night.
- A. You broken our window glass last night.
- B. They broken our window glass yesterday night.
- C. Last night, someone had broken our window glass
- D. Someone broke our window glass last night.

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- 10. The teacher will show animations to students.
- A. Students will be shown animations by the teacher.
- B. Students will be seeing animation with the teacher.
- C. Students were seeing animations given by the teacher.
- D. Students will see animations.



A. Students will be shown animations by the teacher.

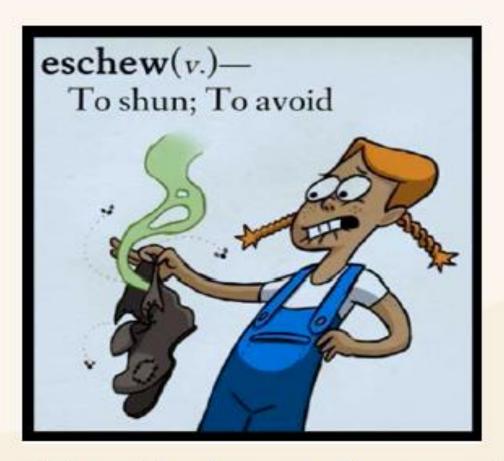


# LEARNING VOCAB WITH IMAGES

ARE YOU READYPP







<u>Definition</u> to deliberately avoid or keep away from something

<u>Usage</u> The dieter tried to eschew fattening foods



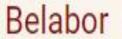
#### Copious



**Definition** in large amounts

Usage He drank copious quantities of tea and coffee.







<u>Definition</u> to talk about (something) for too long: to repeat or stress (something) too much or too often

2) to attack or criticize (someone)



## Home Work Answer

I will send my servant but I can not that he will reach in time.

A. intend

B. ensure

C. sure

D. predict



#### Home Work

Somebody introduced me to Dr. Martin yesterday.

- A. I was introduced to Dr. Martin yesterday.
- B. Dr. Martin was introduced by me yesterday.
- C. Yesterday Dr. Martin was introduced by somebody.
- D. Somebody was introduced to Dr. Martin yesterday.

